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Via Electronic Comment Filing System

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RE: Acceleration of Broadband Deployment by Improving Wireless Facilities Siting Policies, WT Docket No. 13-238; Preserving the Open Internet, GN Docket No. 09-191; Open Internet Remand, GN Docket No. 14-28

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this *ex parte* notice is filed on behalf of the City of San Antonio, Texas ("City"). On March 10, 2014, Ron Nirenberg, City Councilman, Cris Medina, City Councilman, Jeff Coyle, the City's Intergovernmental Relations Director, Thomas Downs, of Patton Boggs LLP and counsel to the City, and Jessica Bell and the undersigned, of Spiegel & McDiarmid LLP and counsel to the City, met with Renee Gregory, Legal Advisor, Office of Chairman Tom Wheeler, Jane Jackson, Associate Bureau Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Peter Trachtenberg, Deputy Chief of the Spectrum and Competition Policy Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, and Gigi Sohn, Special Counsel for External Affairs, Office of Chairman Wheeler, to discuss the issues in the above-referenced proceedings.

We discussed the issues raised in the City's Opening and Reply Comments filed in WT Docket No. 13-238. We also discussed the issues set forth in the attached written handout and presentation, which were distributed and discussed at the meeting. The City stressed the importance of preserving its ability to impose historical preservation, environmental and public safety conditions on installations and modifications of wireless facilities.

In addition, we discussed issues related to municipal broadband. We informed Commission attendees that since 1995, Texas law has prohibited municipalities from offering telecommunications and broadband services to the public.

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If there are any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

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